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In re Application of)	
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Eming et al.)	Att. Dkt.: 3030-101
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For: **PROTEOLYSIS RESISTANT ACTIVE VEGF**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.